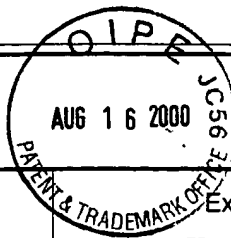


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
BS99-191

In Re Application Of: **WILLIAMS et al.**



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2873

Invention: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR NOTIFYING AN ELECTRONIC BILLING
VENDOR OF A CUSTOMER STATUS CHANGE**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **May 24, 2000** above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **July 24, 2000**
Date

until: **August 24, 2000**
Date

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1390**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1390**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Signature

Dated: **August 16, 2000**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on _____ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

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